HF Happenings 925

Sun shine is good for your radio, get outdoors!

11:00 on 11 November – "We will Remember Them!"

The Results of the fifth SARL 95 40 m Club Sprint

The fifth leg of the SARL 95 40 m Sprint was held on Saturday 31 October 2020 and 35 logs were received, reflecting 694 QSOs.

1st the West Rand ARC – 1 624 points (27 logs)
2nd the Hibiscus ARC – 152 points (4 logs)
3rd PEARS – 50 points (1 log)
4th the Boland ARC – 22 points (1 log)
5th the Northern Cape ARC – 14 points (1 log)
6th the Pretoria ARC – 8 points (1 log)

After the five Sprints
1st the West Rand ARC – 5 326 points
2nd the Bo-Karoo Arc – 1 348 points
3rd the Hibiscus ARC – 798 points
4th the Boland ARC – 754 points
5th the Magalies ARC – 414 points
6th PEARS - 378 points
7th the Vrystaat ARC - 162 points

8th the Northern Cape ARC - 146 points
9th the Highway ARC - 126 points
10th the Durban ARC - 80 points
11th the Centurion ARC - 68 points
12th the Rustenburg Branch - 54 points
13th the Midlands ARC - 36 points
14th the Sandton ARC - 28 points
15th the Pretoria ARC - 8 points

The Individual scores

1st Karin, ZS6MMA – 130 points
2nd Kobus, ZS6BOS – 120 points
3rd Simone, ZS6SIM - 100 points
4th Jan, ZS6ALC - 94 points
5th Wynand, ZS6WY - 84 points
6th Nic, ZR6AEZ and Andreas, ZS6ADU - 82 points
8th Phillip, ZS6PVT and Danie, ZS6DPS - 66 points
10th Dienie, ZS6DNI - 62 points
11th Joseph, ZS6JOE - 58 points
12th Andrew, ZS6AN - 56 points
13th Gert, ZR6GRT and Veronica, ZR6TVK - 54 points
15th Jack, ZS6JJK – 52 points

16th Theunis, ZS2EC; Glen, ZS6GGA and Kevin, ZS6KVN - 50 points
19th Cliff, ZS6BJU - 48 points
20th Heather, ZS5YH; Louis, ZS5LS; Johan, ZS6JHN and Johan, ZS6JBZ - 46 points
24th Stephen ZS6SJR - 44 points
25th Colin, ZS6CPH - 42 points
26th Sid, ZS5SID - 40 points
27th Nic, ZS1N/6 - 34 points
28th Romeo, ZS6ARQ and Koos, ZS6JFK - 32 points
30th Ean, ZS1PR and Andrew, ZR6M - 22 points
32nd Sid, ZS5H - 20 points
33rd Awie, ZS6AVI - 18 points
34th Roy, ZS3RW - 14 points
35th Roy, ZS6XN - 8 points

Pirate Alert

A station signing EZ3AA has been active on 40 metres. This station is a PIRATE and the real ham listed on QRZ.com is a Silent Key since 6 October 2016. Do not waste your time to send a QSL via the manager EZ8AQ.

3Y0I Bouvet Island DXpedition News

The following was posted on the Rebel DX Group's FaceBook page on 3 November [edited] https://www.facebook.com/rebeldxgroup:

Hi Rebel folks,

We are still pushing with the missing budget (24 300 USDs) to finalize the last payment for the vessel to make 3Y0I happen. So far (as an international team) we still cannot travel to South Africa due the COVID situation. Bouvet is not cancelled! All our equipment is ready there, waiting for us.

Time is running like crazy, also Antarctic summer will not wait for us so long. Please keep in mind that we will maybe need to reschedule this trip for the next season.

In the meantime, Dom, 3Z9DX, received his Fijian government travel permit to go back to the Pacific Rebel Base as a backup plan. There is three different DXCC's around: 3D2/C Conway, 3D2/R Rotuma, 3D2 Fiji and several IOTAs including some very rare groups. Unfortunately, cyclone season starts from November to March... so all looks very difficult and hard from logistic point of view. Let us see what happens soon.

African DX

Contacts with stations on the African continent count towards the SARL's All Africa Award (www.sarl.org.za/public/awards/awards.asp)
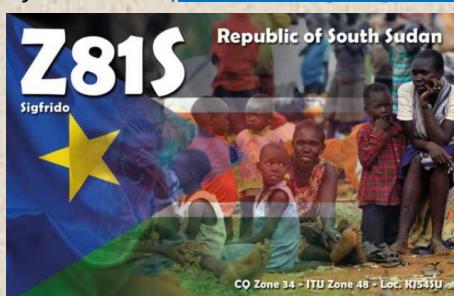
South Sudan, Z8. Sigfrido, IW9FMD is a member of the United Nations Mission in South Sudan and has been active again as Z81S since early November. Activity is limited to his spare time and the length of his stay is not known. QSL direct to IT9YVO.

Djibouti, J2. Rene, DL2JRM will be active as J28XX. Activity is on 80 to 10 meters using CW and SSB. QSL to home call.

Malawi, 7Q. Operators from the Russian Robinson Club (RRC), who were expected to be active now as 7Q7RU near Embangweni, Malawi, are currently stuck in Nairobi, Kenya (since the 5th) and are having some visa issues. They may be there for a few more days until they resolve this issue (they will know more Monday). In the meantime, they may try to hastily arrange a temporary 5Z4/ license.

If the team finally goes to Malawi, activity will be on 160, 80, 60, 40, 30, 20, 17, 15, 12, 10, 6 and 2 metres (with a focus on 160/80 m) and 70 cm using CW, SSB, FT8 and Satellites. QSL via R7AL, LoTW or ClubLog's OQRS. For more details and updates, see https://dxpedition.wixsite.com/7q7ru

Last Minute Update (8 November): Two operators of the 7Q7RU team now have visas. Others are expected, perhaps even today. There are basically no air tickets to Malawi. None at all. Land borders are closed. The next flight will be on Friday 13 November. Four return tickets were purchased. However, a fifth ticket was purchased for one team member for tomorrow evening, 9 November. The ticket is expensive with a difficult route through Tanzania, leaving the transit zone and claiming luggage. So, all is going well, 7Q7RU could be on the air perhaps as early as 10 November.

Added Notes: The RRC team announced this past week, the "MALAWI 2020 7Q7RU" plaque. This plaque is issued for contacts with the Russian Team 7Q7RU. To get this plaque you need to work 3 QSOs with 7Q7RU between 7 and 19 November 2020. Plaque's size 200 x 250 mm. Plaque's fee 44 USDs or 39 EURs. Payment is via PayPal (VershkovKN@gmail.com). The fee includes shipping by air mail.

The RRC team also announced the "7Q7RU Band-Slot Challenge". The purpose of this competition is working 7Q7RU on as many different bands and modes as possible based on ClubLog scores. TOP TEN stations will win a special plaque sponsored by team members and shipped from Russia worldwide. The top 10 radio operators that fulfil the plaque's requirements first, will receive a special plaque free of charge starting with number 001 to 010.

All logs for checking will be uploaded to ClubLog service. Questions and/or applications free form should be sent to RW3DD (VershkovKN@gmail.com). For more info or to see the plaque, go to http://www.dxwanted.net/index.php/plaques/other/603-malawi-2020-7q7ru

Mali, TZ. Ulmar, DK1CE is expected to be back to Bamako, Mali in mid-November and be active as TZ1CE from the QTH of Jeff, TZ4AM for a month. He plans to be active "close to full time" on 160 to 10 metres CW, SSB and FT8. QSL via DK1CE (direct or bureau); he does not use LoTW.

African Islands

African Italy, IH. Raffaele, IH9YMC, will be active from Pantelleria Island (AF-018, WW Loc. JM56XT), African Italy, during the CQ WW DX CW Contest (28 and 29 November) as a Single-Op/Single-Band (??m) entry. QSL via LoTW or eQSL.

Operating Tip

Contest Playbooks - The big multi-op stations have them, and you could too - a "playbook" for each contest. When a guest operator arrives at a station, they need a crash course in everything related to a weekend's operation: equipment, policies, propagation, strategy and so on. Stations hosting guest operators often supply this information in the form of a handbook or playbook that can be read and more importantly, referenced during the contest weekend. The document also serves as a repository of information learned about operating in that contest from that location, subject to revision after each contest. Every station could benefit from such a document, to note such things as unusual paths to multipliers, reminders to check skew paths and other things that may get forgotten by the next contest.

Contest Calendar

This week's contests as compiled by Bruce Horn, WA7BNM. The period covered is 9 to 16 November 2020

4 States QRP Group Second Sunday Sprint
01:00 - 03:00 UTC 9 November
Geographic Focus: North America
Participation: Worldwide
Mode: CW, SSB
Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10 m
Classes: Single Op
Exchange: Member: RS(T), state, province or country and member no; Non-member: RS(T), state, province or country and power
Work stations: Once per band
QSO Points: 1 point per QSO with non-member; 2 points per QSO with member
Multipliers: (none)
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points
Submit logs by: 11 November 2020
E-mail logs to: (none)
Post log summary at:
http://qrpcontest.com/4sqrp
Mail logs to: (none)
Find rules at:
http://www.4sqrp.com/SSS/sss_rules.pdf
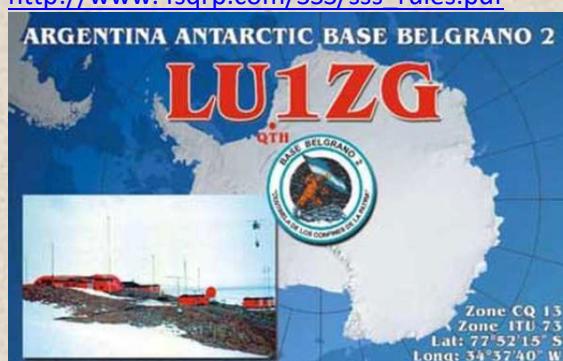
K1USN Slow Speed Test
00:00 - 01:00 UTC 10 November
Geographic Focus: Worldwide
Participation: Worldwide
Mode: CW
Bands: 80, 40, 20 m
Classes: Single Op - QRP, low or high
Max power: HP: >100 watts; LP: 100 watts; QRP: 5 watts
Exchange: Maximum 20 wpm - Name and state, province or country
Work stations: Once per band
QSO Points: 10 points per QSO with same country; 20 points per QSO with different country, same continent; 30 points per QSO with different country, different continent
Multipliers: Each state/province/country once per band
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
Submit logs by: 23:59 UTC 12 November 2020
Post log summary at:
http://www.3830scores.com
Mail logs to: (none)
Find rules at: http://www.k1usn.com/sst.html

Worldwide Sideband Activity Contest
01:00 - 01:59 UTC 10 November
Geographic Focus: Worldwide
Participation: Worldwide
Mode: SSB
Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10, 6 m
Classes: Single Op - QRP, low or high; Overlay: Youth (26 years old or younger); Youth YL (female 26 years old or younger); YL (female older than 26 years
Max power: HP: 1 500 watts; LP: 100 watts; QRP: 5 watts
Exchange: RS and age group (OM, YL, Youth YL or Youth)
Work stations: Once per band
QSO Points: 1 point per QSO with OM; 5 points per QSO with YL; 10 points per QSO with Youth; 15 points per QSO with Youth YL
Multipliers: Each DXCC once per band
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
Submit logs by: 01:59 UTC 11 November 2020
E-mail logs to: (none)
Upload log at: https://logs.wwsac.com/
Mail logs to: (none)
Find rules at: https://wwsac.com/rules.html

RTTYOPS Week Sprint
17:00 - 19:00 UTC 10 November
Geographic Focus: Worldwide
Participation: Worldwide
Mode: RTTY
Bands: 80, 40, 20 m
Classes: Single Op
Max operating hours: 2 hours

Exchange: other station's call, your call, serial no and your name,
Work stations: Once per band
QSO Points: 1 point per QSO
Multipliers: (none)
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points
Submit logs by: 23:59 UTC 17 November 2020
E-mail logs to: rtty-week-tuesday@nrrlcontest.no
Mail logs to: (none)
Find rules at:
https://rttyops.wordpress.com/rtty-mini-contests/rttyops-Week Sprint/

QRP Fox Hunt
02:00 - 03:30 UTC 11 November
Geographic Focus: United States
Participation: Worldwide
Mode: CW
Bands: 40 m Only
Classes: Single Op - hound or fox
Max power: 5 watts
Exchange: RST, state, province or country, name and power output
QSO Points: 1 point per QSO
Multipliers: (none)
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points
Submit logs by: 03:30 UTC 12 November 2020
E-mail logs to: (see rules)
Mail logs to: (none)
Find rules at:
http://www.qrpfoxhunt.org/winter_rules.htm

Phone Fray
02:30 - 03:00 UTC 11 November
Geographic Focus: North America
Participation: Worldwide
Mode: SSB
Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15 m
Classes: Single Op
Max power: 100 watts
Exchange: NA: Name and state, province or country; non-NA: Name
Work stations: Once per band
QSO Points: NA station: 1 point per QSO; non-NA station: 1 point per QSO with an NA station
Multipliers: Each US state (including KH6/KL7) once per band; Each VE province/territory

once per band; Each North American country (except W/VE) once per band
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
Submit logs by: 03:00 UTC 13 November 2020
E-mail logs to: (none)
Post log summary at:
http://www.3830scores.com
Mail logs to: (none)
Find rules at:
http://www.perluma.com/Phone_Fray_Contest_Rules.pdf

CWops Mini-CWT Test
13:00 - 14:00 UTC and 19:00 - 20:00 UTC 11 November and 03:00 - 04:00 UTC 12 November
Geographic Focus: Worldwide
Participation: Worldwide
Awards: Worldwide
Mode: CW
Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10 m
Classes: Single Op - QRP, low or high
Max power: HP: >100 watts; LP: 100 watts; QRP: 5 watts
Exchange: Member: Name and member no or CWA; non-Member: Name and state, province or country
Work stations: Once per band
QSO Points: 1 point per QSO
Multipliers: Each call once
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
Submit logs by: 04:00 UTC 14 November 2020
Post log summary at:
http://www.3830scores.com
Mail logs to: (none)
Find rules at: https://cwops.org/cwops-tests/

RSGB 80 m Autumn SSB Series
20:00 - 21:30 UTC 11 November
Geographic Focus: United Kingdom

Participation: Worldwide
Mode: SSB
Bands: 80 m Only
Classes: 100 W
10 W
Exchange: RS and serial no
QSO Points: 1 point per QSO
Multipliers: (none)
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points
Submit logs by: 23:59 UTC 14 November 2020
Upload log at: http://www.rsgbcc.org/cgi-bin/hfenter.pl
Mail logs to: (none)
Find rules at:
https://www.rsgbcc.org/hf/rules/2020/rautumn.shtml
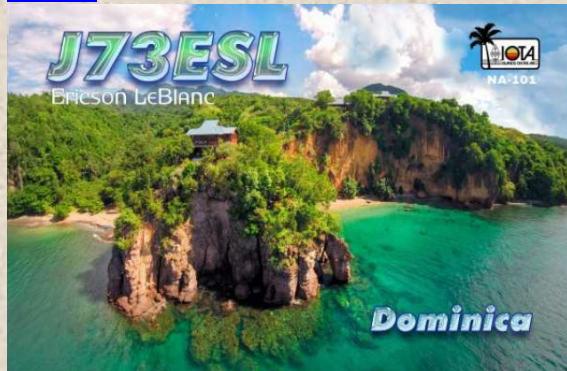
RTTYOPS Week Sprint
17:00 - 19:00 UTC 12 November
Geographic Focus: Worldwide
Participation: Worldwide
Mode: RTTY
Bands: 80, 40, 20 m
Classes: Single Op
Max operating hours: 2 hours
Exchange: other station's call, your call, serial no and your name
Work stations: Once per band
QSO Points: 1 point per QSO
Multipliers: (none)
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points
Submit logs by: 23:59 UTC 19 November 2020
E-mail logs to: rtty-week-thursday@nrrlcontest.no
Mail logs to: (none)
Find rules at:
https://rttyops.wordpress.com/rtty-mini-contests/rttyops-Week Sprint/

NCCC RTTY Sprint

01:45 - 02:15 UTC 13 November
Geographic Focus: North America
Participation: Worldwide
Mode: RTTY
Bands: (see rules)
Classes: (none)
Exchange: Serial no, name and QTH
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
Submit logs by: 15 November 2020
E-mail logs to: (none)
Post log summary at:
http://www.3830scores.com/
Mail logs to: (none)
Find rules at:
http://www.ncccsprint.com/rttyns.html

QRP Fox Hunt
02:00 - 03:30 UTC 13 November
Geographic Focus: United States
Participation: Worldwide
Mode: CW
Bands: 80 m Only
Classes: Single Op - hound or fox
Max power: 5 watts
Exchange: RST, state, province or country, name and power output
QSO Points: 1 point per QSO
Multipliers: (none)
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points
Submit logs by: 03:30 UTC 14 November 2020
E-mail logs to: (see rules)
Mail logs to: (none)
Find rules at:
http://www.qrpfoxhunt.org/winter_rules.htm

NCCC Sprint
02:30 - 03:00 UTC 13 November
Geographic Focus: North America
Participation: Worldwide
Mode: CW
Bands: (see rules)
Classes: (none)
Exchange: Serial no, name and QTH
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
Submit logs by: 15 November 2020
E-mail logs to: (none)
Post log summary at:
http://www.3830scores.com/

Mail logs to: (none)
Find rules at:
http://www.ncccsprint.com/rules.html

AWA Bruce Kelley 1929 QSO Party
23:00 UTC 14 November to 23:00 UTC 15 November
Geographic Focus: United States
Participation: Worldwide
Mode: CW
Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20 m
Classes: (none)
Max power: 25 watts input
Exchange: RST, name, QTH, Eqpt Year and Transmitter Type (see rules for format) and Input Power (W)
QSO Points: 1 point per QSO
Multipliers: (none)
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points
Submit logs by: 20 December 2020
E-mail logs to: wb7whg@arrl.net
Mail logs to: Dave Parker, 1107 NW 15th St, Bend, OR 97703, USA
Find rules at:
https://antiquewireless.org/homepage/bk-qso-party-details/

WAE DX RTTY Contest
00:00 UTC 14 November to 23:59 UTC 15 November
Geographic Focus: Worldwide
Participation: Worldwide
Mode: RTTY
Bands: 80, 40, 20, 15, 10 m
Classes: Single Op - high or low; Multi-Op; SWL
Max operating hours: Single Op: 36 hours, off times of at least 60 minutes; Multi-Single: 48 hours
Max power: HP: >100 Watts; LP: 100 Watts
Exchange: RS and serial no
Work stations: Once per band
Score Calculation: (see rules)
Submit logs by: 23:59 UTC 23 November 2020
E-mail logs to: (none)
Upload log at:
https://www.dxhf.darc.de/~waerttylog/upload.cgi?form=referat&lang=en
Mail logs to: (none)

Find rules at: http://www.darc.de/der-club/referate/referat-conteste/worked-all-europe-dx-contest/en/

PODXS 070 Club Triple Play Low Band Sprint
00:00 UTC 14 November to 23:59 UTC 16 November
Geographic Focus: Worldwide
Participation: Worldwide
Mode: PSK31
Bands: 160, 80, 40 m
Classes: HP/MP/LP/QRP
Max operating hours: 6 hrs per UTC day
Max power: HP: 100 watts; MP: 50 watts; LP: 25 watts; QRP: 5 watts
Exchange: RST and state, province or country
Work stations: Once per band
QSO Points: 1 point per QSO on 40 m; 2 points per QSO on 80 m; 3 points per QSO on 160 m
Multipliers: Each state, province and DXCC country once only
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
Submit logs by: 23 November 2020
E-mail logs to: (none)
Upload log at: http://hamclubs.info/scorer/
Mail logs to: (none)
Find rules at: http://www.podxs070.com/o7o-club-sponsored-contests/triple-play-low-band-sprint

10-10 International Fall Digital Contest
00:01 UTC 14 November to 23:59 UTC 15 November
Mode: Digital
Bands: 10 m Only
Classes: QRP; Low Power; High Power; Club; Mobile
Max power: HP: >150 watts; LP: 150 watts; QRP: 5 watts
Exchange: 10-10 Member: Name, 10-10 number and state, province or country; Non-

Member: Name, 0 and state, province or country
QSO Points: 1 point per QSO with a non-member; 2 points per QSO with a 10-10 member
Multipliers: (none)
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points
Submit logs by: 23 November 2020
E-mail logs to: tentencontest@ten-ten.org
Mail logs to: Dan Morris, KZ3T, 3162 Covington Way, Lenoir, NC 28645, USA
Find rules at: http://www.ten-ten.org/index.php/activity/2013-07-22-20-26-48/qso-party-rules

JIDX Phone Contest
07:00 UTC 14 November to 13:00 UTC 15 November
Geographic Focus: Japan
Participation: Worldwide
Mode: SSB
Bands: 80, 40, 20, 15, 10 m
Classes: Single Op All Band - low or high; Single Op Single Band - low or high; Multi-Single; Maritime Mobile
Max power: HP: >100 W; LP: 100 W
Exchange: JA: RST and Prefecture No; non-JA: RST and CQ Zone No
Work stations: Once per band
QSO Points: 2 points per JA-DX QSO on 80 m; 1 points per JA-DX QSO on 40, 20, 15 m; 2 points per JA-DX QSO on 10 m
Multipliers: JA Stations: DXCC countries and CQ zones once per band; non-JA Stations: JA prefectures plus JD1/O, JD1/MT, JD1/OT once per band
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
Submit logs by: 15 December 2020
E-mail logs to: ph@jidx.org

Upload log at: http://www.jidx.org/upload/uplog.html
Mail logs to: JIDX Phone Contest, PO Box 22, Mitaka, Tokyo 181-8799, Japan
Find rules at: http://www.jidx.org/jidxrule-e.html

OK/OM DX CW Contest
12:00 UTC 14 November to 12:00 UTC 15 November
Geographic Focus: OK/OL/OM
Participation: Worldwide
Mode: CW
Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10 m
Classes: Single Op All Band - QRP, low or high; Single Op Single Band - low or high; Multi-Single; SWL
Max power: HP: 1 500 watts; LP: 100 watts; QRP: 5 watts
Exchange: OK/OM: RST and 3-letter district code; non-OK/OM: RST and serial no
Work stations: Once per band
QSO Points: OK/OM-Station: 1 point per QSO with EU station; OK/OM-Station: 3 points per QSO with DX station; EU-Station: 1 point per QSO with OK/OM station; DX-Station: 3 points per QSO with OK/OM station
Multipliers: OK/OM-Station: each prefix once per band; non-OK/OM-Station: each OK/OM district once per band
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
Submit logs by: 22 November 2020
Upload log at: http://okomdx.crk.cz/index.php?page=send-log
Mail logs to: (none)
Find rules at: http://okomdx.crk.cz/index.php?page=english

CQ-WE Contest
19:00 - 23:00 UTC 14 November (CW/Digital) and 01:00 - 05:00 UTC 15 November (Phone) and 19:00 - 23:00 UTC 15 November (Phone) and 01:00 - 05:00 UTC 16 November (CW/Digital)
Mode: CW, Phone, Digital
Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10, 6, 2, 432 MHz
Classes: Single Op
Exchange: Name, Location Code (see rules) and Years of Service (see rules)

Work stations: Once per band per mode
QSO Points: Points equal to years of service received in exchange for each QSO
Multipliers: Each location code once per mode
Score Calculation: Total score = sum of (total QSO points x total mults) for each mode
Submit logs by: 1 December 2020
E-mail logs to: (see rules)
Mail logs to: (see rules)
Find rules at: http://cqwe.cboh.org/rules.html

Homebrew and Old-time Equipment Party
13:00 - 15:00 UTC 15 November (40 m) and 15:00 - 17:00 UTC 15 November (80 m)
Geographic Focus: Worldwide
Participation: Worldwide
Mode: CW
Bands: 80, 40 m
Classes: A. Single Op LP, TX and RX: Homebrew or >30 years; B. Single Op LP, TX or RX: Homebrew or >30 years; C. Single Op QRP, Eqpt: Homebrew or >30 years; D. Single Op: Valved Eqpt Marketed before 1965 or Homebrew
Max power: LP: 100 W; QRP: 5 W
Exchange: RST, serial no, "/" and class
QSO Points: (see rules)
Multipliers: (none)
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points
Submit logs by: 21 December 2020
E-mail logs to: hot@qrpcc.de
Mail logs to: Lutz Gutheil, DM6EE, Bergstr. 17, D-38446 Wolfsburg, Germany
Find rules at:
http://www.qrpcc.de/contestrules/hotr.html

Run for the Bacon QRP Contest
23:00 UTC 15 November to 01:00 UTC 16 November
Geographic Focus: Worldwide
Participation: Worldwide
Mode: CW
Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10 m
Classes: Single Band; All Band
Max power: 5 watts
Exchange: RST, state, province or country and member no or power
Work stations: Once per band
QSO Points: 1 point per QSO with non-member; 3 points per QSO with member on same continent; 5 points per QSO with member on different continent
Multipliers: Each state, province, or country once; Multiply mults by 2 if >50 members worked
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
Submit logs by: 22 November 2020
E-mail logs to: (none)
Upload log at:
http://qrpcontest.com/pigrun/autolog.php
Mail logs to: (none)
Find rules at: http://qrpcontest.com/pigrun/

K1USN Slow Speed Test
00:00 - 01:00 UTC 16 November
Geographic Focus: Worldwide
Participation: Worldwide
Mode: CW
Bands: 80, 40, 20 m
Classes: Single Op - QRP, low or high
Max power: HP: >100 watts; LP: 100 watts; QRP: 5 watts
Exchange: Maximum 20 wpm - Name and state, province or country
Work stations: Once per band
QSO Points: 10 points per QSO with same country; 20 points per QSO with different country, same continent; 30 points per QSO with different country, different continent
Multipliers: Each state/province/country once per band
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
Submit logs by: 23:59 UTC 18 November 2020
Post log summary at:
http://www.3830scores.com
Mail logs to: (none)
Find rules at: http://www.k1usn.com/sst.html

RSGB FT4 Contest Series
20:00 - 21:30 UTC 16 November
Geographic Focus: United Kingdom

Participation: Worldwide
Mode: FT4
Bands: 80 m Only
Classes: 100 W; 10 W
Exchange: 4-character grid square
QSO Points: 1 point per QSO
Multipliers: Each large locator square
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults

Submit logs by: 21:30 UTC 17 November 2020
Upload log at: https://www.rsgbcc.org/cgi-bin/hfenter.pl
Mail logs to: (none)
Find rules at: https://www.rsgbcc.org/hf/rules/2020/r80m_ft4.shtml

Next Week's Contests

Worldwide Sideband Activity Contest, 01:00 - 01:59 UTC 17 November
RTTYOPS Week Sprint, 17:00 - 19:00 UTC 17 November
QRP Fox Hunt, 02:00 - 03:30 UTC 18 November
Phone Fray, 02:30 - 03:00 UTC 18 November
CWops Mini-CWT Test, 13:00 - 14:00 UTC and 19:00 - 20:00 UTC 18 November and 03:00 - 04:00 UTC 19 November
NAQCC CW Sprint, 01:30 - 03:30 UTC 19 November
RTTYOPS Week Sprint, 17:00 - 19:00 UTC 19 November
NCCC RTTY Sprint, 01:45 - 02:15 UTC 20 November
QRP Fox Hunt, 02:00 - 03:30 UTC 20 November
NCCC Sprint, 02:30 - 03:00 UTC 20 November
YO International PSK31 Contest, 16:00 - 22:00 UTC 20 November
LZ DX Contest, 12:00 UTC 21 November to 12:00 UTC 22 November
All Austrian 160-Metre Contest, 16:00 - 23:59 UTC 21 November
RTTYOPS Weekend Sprint, 16:00 - 19:59 UTC 21 November
REF 160-Metre Contest, 17:00 UTC 21 November to 01:00 UTC 22 November
Feld Hell Sprint, 19:00 - 20:59 UTC 16 November
RSGB 1.8 MHz Contest, 19:00 - 23:00 UTC 21 November
ARRL Sweepstakes SSB Contest, 21:00 UTC 21 November to 03:00 UTC 23 November
K1USN Slow Speed Test, 00:00 - 01:00 UTC 23 November
Worldwide Sideband Activity Contest, 01:00 - 01:59 UTC 24 November
RTTYOPS Week Sprint, 17:00 - 19:00 UTC 24 November

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